

# Linear Collider Communication

## Linear Collider Workshop

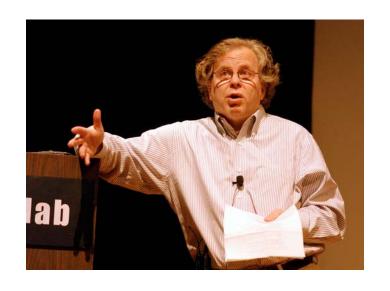
SLAC January 10, 2004

Judith Jackson, Fermilab

# The good news



#### People are listening.





"Lead with the science!"

### We have their ear.





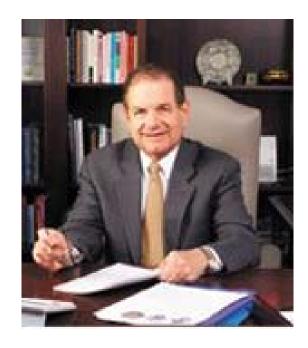
Facilities for the Future of Science



## DOE, NSF to HEPAP Cosmos Committee



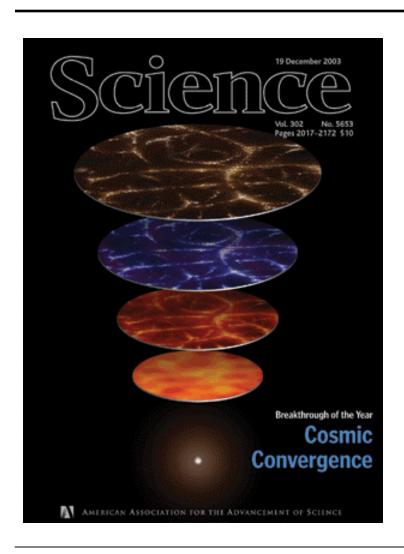




"...Illuminate the issues, provide...a clear picture of the connected, complementary experimental approaches to the truly exciting scientific questions of this century."

## **Breakthrough of the year!**



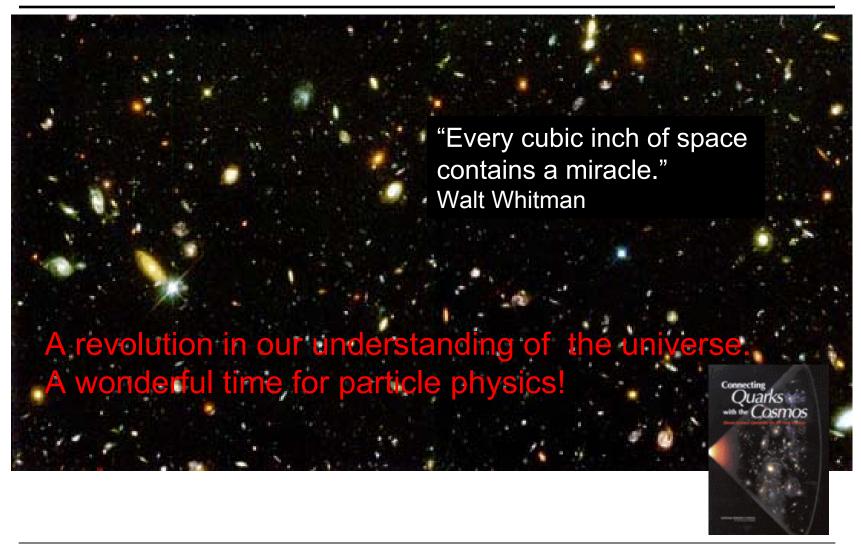


"Nothing's bigger than the universe; the question is what it's made of."

Donald Kennedy Editor-in-Chief SCIENCE 19 December 2003

## It's our universe too!





#### **Linear Collider Milestones**



#### • 2003

- Loew Panel Report (February)
- Funding agencies met in London (August)
- International Technology Recommendation Panel appointed, charged (December)

#### 2004

- Funding agencies meet again
- Cosmos Committee reports (February)
- ITRP reports

## More good news



To achieve the kind of future that all of us want for particle physics, we have begun to change the way we communicate.

InterAction collaboration established December

2001 at DESY meeting

Brookhaven, Gran Sasso DESY, Fermilab, CERN, SLAC



#### **Current members**



APS, Argonne, Appleton-Rutherford, Brookhaven, Berkeley Lab, CERN, Cornell, DESY, Dubna, Frascati, Fermilab, Gran Sasso, INFN, KEK, NIKHEF, Orsay, PPARC, Saclay, SLAC, Thomas Jefferson, TRIUMF



August 2003

#### All particle physics labs are invited to join.

#### InterAction: Goal



To increase support around the world for fundamental particle physics research.

## InterAction: Strategy



- Strengthen collaboration among laboratory communicators in order to
  - Share resources
  - Speak with one voice\*
  - Develop a common science message

\*recognizing need for scientific competition and different points of view

#### InterAction: Tactics



- Make collaboration a way of life for particle physics communication—as it is already for particle physics experiments.
  - News wire
  - Web site
  - Media relations
  - Policy papers
  - Issues





## Interactions, the news wire



- www.interactions.org
- News from the world of particle physics
- Press releases and other news from the world's labs, experiments, funding agencies, advisory panels...
- Open to all particle physics labs

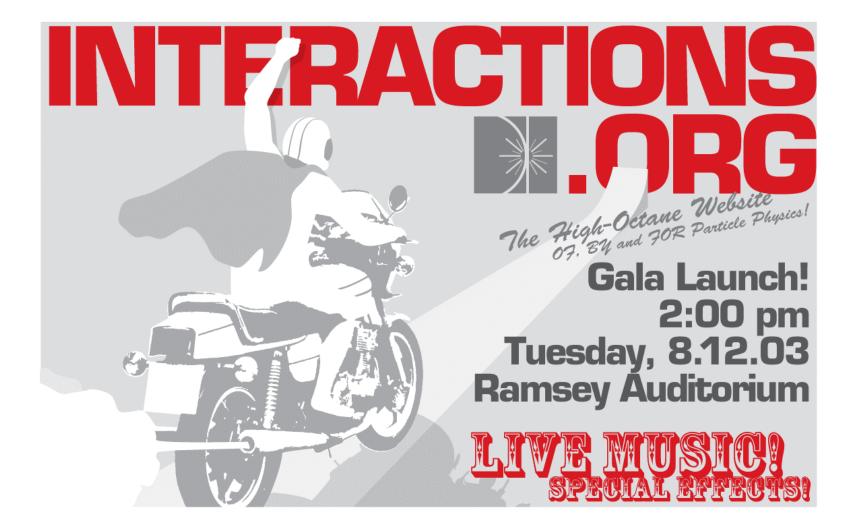
## Interactions, the newswire



- 111 physics news bulletins
- 946 subscribers from 49 countries as of 5 January
  - Argentina, Australia, Austria, Bangladesh, Belgium, Brazil, Canada,
     Columbia, Croatia, Denmark, Egypt, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany,
     Greece, Japan, Jordan, India, Iran, Israel, Italy, Korea, Mexico, Morocco,
     Nepal, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Pakistan, Poland, Portugal,
     Romania, Russia, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Serbia and Montenegro, Slovakia,
     South Africa, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Syria, Taiwan, Turkey, UK,
     Ukraine, U.S., Yugoslavia
- We have a channel to get the word out.







## www.interactions.org





"Start Me Up!"



Public rollout Summer 2003 at Lepton-Photon Conference

#### A website for all of us

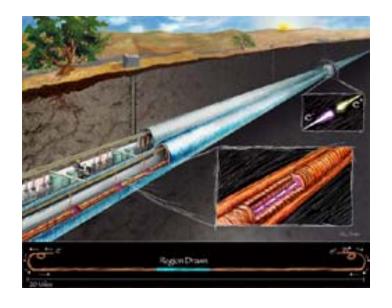


- A resource for all who communicate about or in support of particle physics
- Physics community, science writers, reporters, policy makers, universities, advisory panels...
- World particle physics Image Bank: one-stop shopping for images from particle physics worldwide
- www.interactions.org

# A Home for US Linear Collider Communication



News
Talks, Speakers
Reports
Graphics
Links to other LC sites
Presentation database
Communication Plan



http://www.interactions.org/cms/?pid=1004987

#### **Linear Collider Outreach**



"Develop a joint statement of the science case for a linear collider in the LHC era."





## **Linear Collider Communication**



"As I mentioned at Fermilab, ECFA has nominated 20 Physicists in Europe to start working on OutReach for the Linear Collider. It was quite explicitly stressed to us that the first goal is to present the project as a global international project: the Linear Collider whatever it is, and wherever it is..." François le Diberder



Meeting in Paris Feb 16

#### Fermilab and SLAC partnership



- FermiNews story on SLAC Linear Collider Technology
- New SLAC-Fermilab Publication
- UEC/SLUO DC Trip
- Fermilab UEC to SLAC in January





## How are we doing?



Media coverage: Mixed

Funding: Room for improvement

Particle Physics Profile: Above the radar

In the physics/science community: An opportunity in 2004

## Media coverage 2003: mixed



## nature

#### Towards a clean collider 105

The high-energy physics community has grand plans to probe deeper into the structure of matter and space-time. The proposal for a multinational linear collider merits strong support.



10 YEARS AFTER THE SSC:

#### **Physics Tries to Leave the Tunnel**



A decade after the demise of the Superconducting Super Collider, high-energy physicists are planning new experiments to recoup the insights it was supposed to yield. But many say their field will never be the same

## **The Science Community**



#### Talk

- Talks on line
- Speakers' list
- Data base for presentations

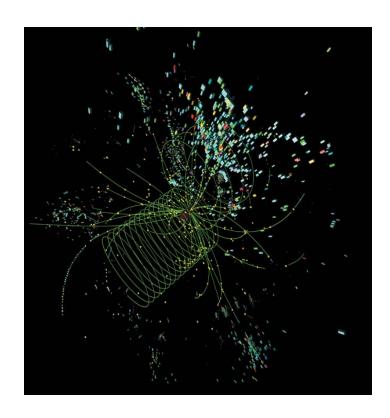
#### Listen

- Visit experiments
- Invite colleagues to labs
- Invite talks and articles

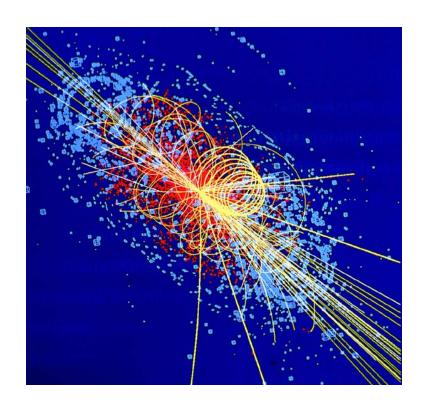
#### APS April Meeting

## We need more pictures!





Simulated response of linear collider detector to the production of two Z bosons. (Credit: Norman Graf)



Simulated decay of Higgs boson in the future CMS experiment at CERN. (Credit: CERN)





# The New Hork Times

# **Demolition Derby of Physics Jars Loose Clues on Subatomic Glue**

"...The discoveries are especially welcome in a field that is in some ways adrift, lacking any big new machine to smash matter into ever-finer pieces."

James Glanz, December 30, 2003



#### **Communication without borders**

"To strengthen the international science of particle physics and to set visible footprints for peaceful collaboration across all borders."

InterAction Collaboration Mission

